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TAGS: PFOR PINT EG IN
SUBJECT: HISHAM AMER, EGYPT'S NEW AMBASSADOR TO INDIA

1. AMER WAS NOMINATED AMBASSADOR TO INDIA FEBRUARY 22, 1977
AS SURPRISE SUBSTITUTE FOR PREVIOUSLY NAMED MUHAMMED HAFIZ ISMAIL,
WHO BEING SENT TO PARIS INSTEAD.

2. AMER HAS PERSONAL GRADE OF AMBASSADOR, RANK HE ATTAINED ONLY
RECENTLY BUT WITH UNUSUAL SPEED. HE WAS WORKING IN MFA
WITH RANK OF COUNSELOR IN JANUARY 1976 WHEN HIS PROMOTION TO
MINISTER WAS ANNOUNCED. IN JULY, 1976 HE WAS PROMOTED TO
AMBASSADOR AND WAS SUBSEQUENTLY MADE DIRECTOR OF MFA INFORMATION
DEPARTMENT, A LOW PROFILE OPERATION. SINCE SUMMER OF 1975, HE
HAD BEEN WORKING ON FAHMY'S PERSONAL STAFF, WHERE HE APPARENTLY
MADE LITTLE IMPACT OR CONTRIBUTION.

3. EMBASSY HAS HAD NO CONTACT WITH AMER BEYOND BRIEF CHANCE
ENCOUNTER RECENTLY BETWEEN EMBOFF AND AMBASSADOR IN MFA WE BELIEVE
TO BE SAME MAN. IF SO, HE IS IN LATE FORTIES, SLIGHT OF BUILD,
DARK HAR AND NEAT BLACK MOUSTACHE BUT OF LIGHT COMPLEXION.
AMER IS RESERVED BUT FRIENDLY, SOFT-SPOKEN AND QUIET DRESSER.
HE HAS WORKING KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH.
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